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SUMMARY OF INTERVIEW

Applicant wishes to thank Examiner Rudy Zervigon for the courteous telephone interview extended to their representative that was conducted on November 21, 2006.

Exhibits or demonstrations shown

None.

Identification of Prior Art Discussed

Okase (US 5,884,009) was discussed in connection with claim amendments.

Proposed Amendments

Applicant requested the Examiner's suggestions on claim amendments in order to describe the intended structures of the claimed apparatus.

Principal Arguments and Other Matters

The Examiner suggested amending the claims in line with the following features: The first plate has holes connected to the first section [a first flow channel] only, where the second plate has both holes connected to the first section and holes connected to the second section [a second flow channel] [in a common region as viewed in their axial direction], wherein there is no gas mixing between the first section and the second section.

Results of Interview

Applicant agreed with the Examiner's suggestions.